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- dizziness
- altered vision
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- disorientation
- seizures
- any involuntary movement or convulsion.

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Use and handling of video games to reduce the likelihood of a seizure

- Use in a well-lit area and keep as far away as possible from the television screen.
- Avoid large screen televisions. Use the smallest television screen available.
- Avoid prolonged use of the PlayStation®3 system. Take a 15-minute break during each hour of play.
- Avoid playing when you are tired or need sleep.

Stop using the system immediately if you experience any of the following symptoms: lightheadedness, nausea, or a sensation similar to motion sickness; discomfort or pain in the eyes, ears, hands, arms, or any other part of the body. If the condition persists, consult a doctor.

NOTICE:
Use caution when using the DUALSHOCK®3 wireless controller motion sensor function. When using the DUALSHOCK®3 wireless controller motion sensor function, be cautious of the following points. If the controller hits a person or object, this may cause accidental injury or damage. Before using, check that there is plenty of space around you. When using the controller, grip it firmly to make sure it cannot slip out of your hand. If using a controller that is connected to the PS3™ system with a USB cable, make sure there is enough space for the cable so that the cable will not hit a person or object. Also, take care to avoid pulling the cable out of the PS3™ system while using the controller.

WARNING TO OWNERS OF PROJECTION TELEVISIONS:
Do not connect your PS3™ system to a projection TV without first consulting the user manual for your projection TV, unless it is of the LCD type. Otherwise, it may permanently damage your TV screen.

HANDLING YOUR PS3™ FORMAT DISC:
• Do not bend it, crush it or submerge it in liquids. • Do not leave it in direct sunlight or near a radiator or other source of heat. • Be sure to take an occasional rest break during extended play. • Keep this disc clean. Always hold the disc by the edges and keep it in its protective case when not in use. Clean the disc with a lint-free, soft, dry cloth, wiping in straight lines from center to outer edge. Never use solvents or abrasive cleaners.

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GETTING STARTED

PlayStation®3 system

Starting a game: Before use, carefully read the instructions supplied with the PS3™ computer entertainment system. The documentation contains information on setting up and using your system as well as important safety information.

Check that the MAIN POWER switch (located on the system rear) is turned on. Insert the Split/Second disc with the label facing up into the disc slot. Select the icon for the software title under [Game] in the PS3™ system's home menu, and then press the ⊗ button. Refer to this manual for information on using the software.

Quitting a game: During gameplay, press and hold down the PS button on the wireless controller for at least 2 seconds. Then select "Quit Game" from the screen that is displayed.

Hint To remove a disc, touch the eject button after quitting the game.

Saved data for PS3™ format software

Saved data for PS3™ format software is saved on the system's hard disk. The data is displayed under "Saved Game Utility" in the Game menu.

WELCOME

Congratulations! You've made it through the auditions and joined the elite group of drivers in this season of the global TV reality series known as Split/Second.

The scene is set for the most outrageous televised motorsport ever seen, in a city built for speed, destruction, and maximum pyrotechnic spectacle. Every racetrack is lined with Power Plays — race-changing traps designed to smash your opponents off the track at the touch of the button on your dashboard. So winning each event is as much about ruthlessly wrecking your rivals' cars as it is about taking the best line through the corners.

Remember, when speed is not enough — the city is your weapon!

MAIN MENU

Season Mode – Begin a new season of Split/Second or pick up where you left off from the last episode you played.

Quick Play – Jump into a Split/Second event using Quick Play game modes — featuring the cars and tracks that have been unlocked in Season mode

Multiplayer – Compete online in multiplayer for up to 8 people or go head-to-head against another player in 2-person split screen action.

Extras – Review the game tutorial, check out your stats, access downloadable content and more.

Note: The game automatically saves your progress during play.

DRIVING CONTROLS

L2 - Brake/Start drifting if cornering at speed

R2 - Accelerate

Left analog stick - Steer

△ - Change camera view

✕/□ - Trigger Level 1 Power Play

○ - Trigger Level 2 Power Play

Right analog stick - Camera control

START button - Pause to in-game menu

WINNING POWER

Before you can trigger Power Plays you need to win Power. Use these driving skills to fill the Power bar beneath your car.

Drift – Enter a corner at speed, then steer hard and tap the brakes to drift your car around the bend. Control the drift with your steering and throttle.

Draft – Drop in close behind an opponent and stay there for as long as you can.

Jump – Find the best spots for the biggest jumps, and land safely!

Near Miss – Dodge a Power Play that has just been triggered in your path.

Drift Pass – Overtake an opponent while drifting.

Jump Pass – Overtake an opponent in mid-air.

TRIGGERING POWER PLAYS

To trigger a Power Play you need to fill up at least one segment in your Power Bar, and hold onto it until you're driving near a Power Play on the track.

Filling a blue segment of your Power Bar is enough to fire a Level 1 Power Play. Save your Power up to fill the red bar and you can trigger the devastating Level 2 Power Plays.

Watch out for colored icons appearing above the road ahead, or over your opponent's car. A blue icon tells you there's a Level 1 Power Play nearby, and a red icon highlights a Level 2 Power Play. When you see an icon, get ready to hit the appropriate Power Play button and watch the action unfold!

When you race new tracks, try to learn how each Power Play works to refine your timings, and watch out for Power Plays that open shortcuts and unlock new routes with even more Power Play opportunities!